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Considerable additions have recently been made to our collection of English parish and genealogical records. Back files have been purchased and subscriptions entered for such publications as the Surrey Record Society, Canterbury and York Society, Oxford Historical Society and the Durham and Northumberland Parish Register Society. We have brought up to date many genealogical series hitherto unavailable in the city. Among these are the Lancashire Parish Registers, Bucks Parish Registers, Publications of the Devon & Cornwall Record Society, Parish Register Society and the Transactions of the Historic Society of Lancashire and Cheshire.

Our Vice-President, George Dudley Seymour, Esq., has presented the Society the remaining copies of "Births, Marriages and Deaths returned from Hartford, Windsor and Fairfield", edited by Edwin Stanley Welles. The income from the sale of these books is to revert to the principal of the Edwin Stanley Welles Fund, subject to the stipulations of that fund.

The Society for some years has been in the possession of the ring and sword of Major-General John Sedgwick. Mrs. P. J. Mullen of Huntington, West Virginia, has increased this collection by presenting us a sewing kit said to have been carried by the General.

We are co-operating with the Hartford printers, advertising groups and allied trades in the celebration of the 500th Anniversary of Printing. Selected items from our Library will be on exhibit during November in the Memorial Hall of the Connecticut State Library.

A list of the Society's colonial bills is here continued.

Pennsylvania Bills of Credit

October 1, 1755—10*s*B.
January 1, 1756—5*s*A, 10*s*A, 15*s*B, 20*s*A, 20*s*B.
October 1, 1756—20*s*B.
March 10, 1757—10*s*B, 15*s*B, 20*s*B.
July 1, 1757—10*s*B, 15*s*B, 20*s*A.
May 20, 1758—5*s*B, [10*s*?], 15*s*A, 20*s*A.

April 25, 1759—10*s*A, 10*s*B, 15*s*A, 20*s*B, 50*s*C, £5A.
May 1, 1760—5*s*B, 10*s*A, 10*s*B, 15*s*B, 20*s*A, 20*s*B, £2 10*s*C, £5B.
June 18, 1764—3*d*B [perhaps counterfeit], 3*d*C [perhaps counterfeit], 2*s*6*d*, 5*s*A, 5*s*B, 5*s*C, 5*s*D, 10*s*A, 10*s*B, 20*s*B.
June 15, 1767—£4.
March 1, 1769—£1 10*s*C.
March 10, 1769—Payable by the "Treasurer of the Contributors to the Relief and Employment of the Poor in the City of Philadelphia." 3*d*, 4*d*, 6*d*, 9*d*, 1*s*A, 1*s*6*d*, 2*s*B, 2*s*D, 2*s*6*d*A, 2*s*6*d*B, 5*s*A, 5*s*B, 5*s*C, 10*s*, 15*s*, 20*s*.
March 20, 1771—5*s*A, 5*s*B, 10*s*A, 15*s*B, 20*s*A.
April 3, 1772—3*d*A, 4*d*A, 4*d*B, [6*d*C?], [9*d*?], 9*d*B, 1*s*A, 1*s*B, 18*d*A, 18*d*B, 2*s*A, 2*s*B, 2*s*6*d*A, 2*s*6*d*B.
March 20, 1773—4*s*A, 4*s*B, 6*s*A, 14*s*A, 14*s*B, 16*s*A, 16*s*B.
October 1, 1773—18*d*, 2*s*, 2*s*6*d*, 5*s*, 10*s*, 15*s*, 20*s*, 50*s*.
March 25, 1775—4*s*A, 6*s*A, 6*s*B, 14*s*A, 16*s*A, 16*s*B.
April 10, 1775—50*s*C, 50*s*D, £5A, £5B.
July 20, 1775—10*s*A, 10*s*B, 20*s*B, 30*s*B, 40*s*A, 40*s*B.
October 25, 1775—3*d*B, 3*d*C, 4*d*A, 4*d*B, 4*d*C, 6*d*A, 6*d*B, 6*d*C, 9*d*B, 9*d*C, 1*s*, 18*d*, 2*s*, 2*s*6*d*A, 5*s*, 10*s*, 15*s*, 20*s*.
December 8, 1775—10*s*B, 20*s*A, 30*s*A, 30*s*B, 40*s*A, 40*s*B.
April 25, 1776—3*d*A, 4*d*A, 6*d*A, 6*d*C, 9*d*A, 1*s*, 18*d*, 2*s*, 2*s*6*d*, 10*s*A, 10*s*B, 20*s*A, 20*s*B, 30*s*A, 30*s*B, 40*s*A, 40*s*B.
April 10, 1777—Printed in black. 3*d*A, 3*d*B, 4*d*A, 4*d*B, 4*d*C, 6*d*A, 6*d*B, 6*d*C, 9*d*A, 9*d*B, 9*d*C, 1*s*, 1*s*6*d*, 2*s*, 3*s*, 4*s*, 6*s*, 8*s*, 12*s*, 16*s*, 20*s*, 40*s*, £4.
April 10, 1777—Printed in red and black. 1*s*, 1*s*6*d*, 2*s*, 3*s*, 4*s*, 6*s*, 8*s*, 12*s*, 16*s*, 20*s*, 40*s*, £4.
April 29, 1780—5*s*, 10*s*.
April 20, 1781—3*d*A, 3*d*B, 9*d*A, 9*d*B.
March 16, 1785—3*d*, 9*d*, 2*s*6*d*, 10*s*, 15*s*.
August 6, 1789—Bank of North America—1*d* specie, 3*d* specie.

Several young men of Hartford gathered one day in 1819 at the home of Samuel G. Goodrich and there, perhaps under the leadership of William L. Stone, organized themselves into a literary club. It seems probable that they named the club, or perhaps one should say designated themselves as, The Knights of the Round Table. The full roll of membership, which doubtless was very informal, is unknown; but it is known that the following persons were members:

Samuel Griswold Goodrich, born in 1793, came to Hartford while a boy, and in 1816 entered upon a publishing career. He made a trip abroad in 1823 and removed to Boston in 1826. Later he became famous

as the author and publisher, under the pen name of Peter Parley, of numerous books for young people.

Samuel Howard Huntington was born in 1793. After graduation from Yale College in 1818 he studied law, was admitted to the bar and entered upon practice in Hartford County Court and later was chief clerk of the United States Court of Claims at Washington.

Jonathan Law, born in 1784, began to practice as an attorney at Hartford in 1807 and was the city's postmaster from 1809 to 1829.

William Leete Stone, born in 1792, came to Hartford as one of the editors of the *Connecticut Mirror* from the middle of October 1818 to the end of May 1820, when he removed to New York. There he became prominent as an editor and well known as an author.

Isaac Toucey, born in 1796, was admitted to the bar and began the practice of law in Hartford in 1818, and soon attained prominence in his profession. Later he was Representative in Congress and then Governor of the State.

Jonathan Mayhew Wainwright, born in 1792, admitted to the priesthood in Hartford, made rector of Christ Church in 1817, and so continued through 1819, after which he removed to New York. Later he became a bishop of the Episcopal Church.

The club soon began to issue, sometimes in series, small publications of a literary nature, the earliest being probably *The Round Table,* the first number of which is dated August 23, 1819. Other issues and other titles followed, often at irregular and infrequent intervals, down to as late as 1833. All of these little pamphlets are rare, and it is with the hope of learning of other copies and other issues that the list which follows, of those belonging to this Society, is published.

The Candle, or an answer to The Stand. Hartford, January 27, 1820. 8 pp. and engraved frontispiece.

The Extinguisher; by Donald Doughead, the printer's devil. No. 1. Hartford, March, 1820. 7 pp.

The Magpie. No. 1. [Woodcut.] Hartford, Published by G. W. Keppel. (cover title). The Magpie. By Billy Lackwit & Co. Vol. 1, no. 1. Hartford, Mar. 15, 1833. 64 pp. [Including woodcuts on pages 3, 10, 31, 38 and 42 with reverse of these pages blank. It was to be published on the first and 15th of each month at $1.00 per year.]

The Parterre. No. 2. [Woodcut.] Hartford, 1829. (cover title). The Parterre. Vol. 1, no. 2. Oct., 1829. 64 pp. [And woodcut frontispiece of the "Editor of the Parterre."]

Same. No. 3. [Woodcut.] Hartford, 1829. (cover title). The Parterre, Vol. 1, no. 3. Nov. 1, 1829. pp. 65-96. [With woodcut frontispiece of the "Editor's Wife."]

Same. No. 4. [Woodcut.] Hartford, 1829. (cover title). The Parterre. Vol. 1, no. 4. Dec. 1, 1829. pp. 97-128.

The Retort. No. 1. Hartford, June 28, 1823. 12pp.

Same. No. 2. Hartford, July 19, 1823. pp. 13-24.

The Round Table, by George Bickerstaffe and others. Hartford. Published by Samuel G. Goodrich, August, 1819. P. B. Gleason & Co. Print. (cover title). The Round Table. By George Bickerstaffe, and others. No. 1, Aug. 23, 1819. 36 pp.

Same. By George Bickerstaffe and others. No. 2. Hartford, Sept. 30, 1819. pp. 37-72.

Same. By George Bickerstaffe and others. No. 3. Hartford, Mar. 1, 1820. pp. 73-88.

The Square Table. Price 12½ cents. Hartford: Published by Samuel G. Goodrich. Sept. 1, 1819. P. B. Gleason & Co. Printers. (cover title). The Square Table. 17 pp.

The Square Table, or the meditations of four secluded maidens seated around it. No. II. pp. 19-34.

The Stand. By a society of young men. Hartford, 1820. Title 1 f; text 8 pp. [Colored engravings are inserted facing pages 3, 4, 7.]

The Stand. No. II. Hartford, Jan. 29, 1820. pp. 9-26.

Same. No. III. Hartford, March 10, 1820. pp. 27-38.

Same. No. IV. Hartford, April 21, 1820. pp. 39-46.

Same. No. V. Hartford, May 27, 1820. pp. 47-54.

Same. Vol. 1, no. VI. Hartford, July 4, 1820. pp. 55-62.

Same. Vol. 1, no. VII. Hartford, August 14, 1820. pp. 63-74. [Ending with the words "Finis".]

Records of the Separatist Church in Newent, Conn.

[This small portion was by oversight omitted when printing the Records in the July Bulletin.]

Deaths.

December the 14th 1750 Abigale Tracy the wife of Jeremiah Tracy Junr Departed This Troublesome Life Biding Farewell to Sin & Sorrow o how Blessed it is to change a temporal for Eternal Life This Sister has made a Happy Exchange.

April ye 8th 1751 Joseph Jones Departed this Life of Trouble & Sin Comiting his Soul into the hands of God that Gave it his Body is Laid in the Earth to Be prepared for ye morning of ye Resurrection.

Lords Day morning following ye 12th Day of aprill Elizabeth his wife Departed this Life o Lord Jeses Look on our affliction the Righteous are Taken from amongst Us But we Say Blessed are the Dead that Die in Lord they Shall Rest from their Labour & their works

Do follow them.

March ye 16 1757 Jeremiah Tracy Junr Departed this Life & world of Sorrow & Sin for the world of Light & Glory.

January ye 23 1766 thankful galusha Departed Life Commiting her Sou to God.

Guilford Church Record.

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Sep^{r}	19		Esther Walaston old Guilford	77
Oct^{r}	11		David M. Silby	87
Nov^{r}	19		Oliver Fowler	84
Feb^{y}	10	1847	Eber Hubbard	81
August	31		Maria wife of John Johnson	32
Oc^{t}	31		Richard Minot child of John Johnson	3 or 4 months

Register of Baptisms in Union Church in North Killingworth.

1807	Jared, a child of Jared Scranton
	Horace Leonard D^{o} Noah Hill Jun^{r}
	Alpha, D^{o} Nathan^{l} Hill
	Betsy Bartlett— David Dowd
	James Harvey, a child of David Dowd
	James Hall, D^{o} Julius Kelsey
1808	Alpheus, D^{o} Lyman Norton
	Content D^{o} Linus Norton
	Daniel Alvin D^{o} Samuel Butty
	Hannah Almira D^{o} Elias Isbell Jun^{r}
	Laura D^{o} John Blatchley
	Henry & Harriott, 2 D^{o} Philip Bristol
	James Henry & Hannah, 2 D^{o} Noah Hotchkiss
	Edmund Marvin, D^{o} Widow Nancy Field
1809	Julia Louisa, & Lewis Clark, 2 D^{o} Jesse Wright
	Leortius Leverett, D^{o} John Lane.
	Romeo D^{o} Jared Scranton
	Silvinus D^{o} Aaron Stevens
	Daniel, D^{o} Hezekiah Lane
	Matilda D^{o} John Buel
	George Lewis—D^{o} David Dowd
	Polly, Wife of Peter Davis
	Alvin & Watson 2 children of Peter Davis
	James, a child of Joseph Hill.
	Edwin Ingles—a child of Noah Hill Jun^{r}

Mary and William Lane 2 D° Ezra Nettleton
Nathan Josiah, D° Bela Munger
Harriot Parmerle D° Jess C Hull
Joel, D° Elihu Wilcox
1810 Austin, D° Julius Kelsey
Harley, Harvy, Sabra, Almira, & Erastus 5 children of Simeon Wilcox Jun^{r}
Henry Hall, a child of Henry Hill
Lemuel—a child of Moses Dowd
Joseph Russel. D° Rufus Dowd
Martha Wilcox Adult
Henry a child of Ezra Nettleton
1811 Lewis, a child of Sam^{l} Butty
Temperanc D° John Isbel
Charles D° John Blatchly
Elizabeth, a child of Lyman Norton
George Washington D° John Scranton Jun^{r}
Emeline Amelia— D° Jess Wright
Roxana Maria —D° Linus Norton
Polly. Wife of Jerimiah Bird
Betsy, child of D°
Nathan Hobart D° Nathanil Hill
George Nelson D° Peter Davis
Alpha— D° Hezekiah Lane
Harlow D°—Daniel Blatchley
Anna Elizabeth D° Rufus Dowd
Elihu Parmerle D° Noah Hill Jun^{r}
1812 Normond Hamilton D° John Lane Jun^{r}
Mary Lucretia D° Elihu Wilcox
Moses Lewis, D° Moses Dowd
Patience Selina D° David Dowd
Amy Maria D° Philip Bristol
Julius Worthington D° Julius Kelsey
Edward Crane, D° Jess C Hull
Polly Foot D° Henry Hill
Lila Maria D° Rufus Dowd
William D° Jeremiah Bird
Watson Robison D° Ansel Parmele
Barbary, D° John Buel
1813— Alfred D° Sam^{l} Butty
Eliza Irene D° John Isbel
Lydia D° Lyman Norton

1814 Lewis Talcott D° Peter Davis
Almira— D° Jeremiah Buel
Roxana— D° Elihu Wilcox
Silva Lucretia D° Moses Dowd
Joel Davis an adult
Stephen Davis D°
Alonzo Woodruff D°
Trial Maria a child of Stephen Davis
Ruhamah Eliza D° Joel Davis
Julius Samuel D° Rufus Dowd.
Adah Contentment D° Bela Monger
Abagail Selma D° Jonathan Norton

1815 Sylventrus D° John Blatchly
Cynthia Philona D° Jess C Hull
Henry Bronson D° Joel Davis
Samuel Libbeus D° Sam[l] Butty
Arthur Hurlburt D° John Lane Jn[r]
Eliza Ann D° Philip Bristol
Sally Eliza D° David Dowd

1816 Eleanor, D° Leonard Davis
John— D° Henry Hill
Lewis Clark D° Stephen Davis
Lois— D° Jer[h] Bird—
Roxy, a child of Julius Kelsy
Linus Nelson a child of Linus Norton

1817 Charlotte wife of Richard Bristol
Polly Achsy child of David Dowd
Hezekiah, D° Hezekiah Lane
Normond Gurdon D° John Scranton Jun[r]
Elisabeth, D° Porter Lane
Sarah Eliza, D° Russel Hill
Tillotson, D° Lyman Norton
Uriah, D° Samuel Butty
Dinah, D° Jeremiah Bird

1818 William D° Richard Bristol
Mabel D° Julius Kelsy
Julia Eliza, D° Jess C Hull
Cynthia Eliza— D° Peter Davis
Dudley, D° Stephen Davis
Morilla, D° Arden Hill
Emily— D° Edward Lane

1819 Joel Ebenezer D° Elihu Wilcox

Eliezer D° Alonzo Woodruff—
1820 Nathan Ezra, D° David Dowd
Orpha, D° Leonard Davis
Betsy D° Arden Hill
Charles D° Edward Lane
Polly Eliaza, D° Jeremiah Buel
Trial Maria— D° Stephen Davis
Daniel Baldwin, D° Nathan Crampton Jun^{r}
1821 Albert. D° Richard Bristol
Sally D° Elihu Wilcox
Abagail Adelia a child of Alonzo Woodruff
1822 Catharine, a child of Juilius Kelsy
Rachel, a child of Arden Hill
Sept 22 Betsy Ann a child of Jess Wright
1823 Joel Hobart a child of Leonard Davis
April 27— Orpha Maritta D° of Nathaniel Hill
Miriam Rebekah D° Jeremiah Buel
August 10 Eliza D° Stephen Davis
Oct° 19 Eunice Maria— D° of Richard Bristol
April 11 1824 Orville Alonzo—a child of Alonzo Woodruff.
May 16 Sally Dalme a child of Nathan Crampton Jun^{r}
August 29 Andrew Parmele a child of Jess Hull's wife by a former husband Hall
Catharine a child of Jess Hull
Courtland a child of Julius Kelsy
Diantha Matilda a child of Arden Hill
Nov^{r} 22 1829 Mary an infant child of Arden Hill
July 29 1832 child of Jam Pardee
Sep^{r} 9 Betsy Nerissa child of Nathan Crampton
1834 July 6 Joel Hobart child of Leonard Davis
July 27. James Elias Hobart child of James Pardee
1835. Oct 25 Betsy Catherine, child of Eliab Hill
1836 Feb^{y} 15 Mary Ednor a child of Osmer Hill
August 21 Sally Rosena a child of James Pardee
Sep^{r} 25 Horace Oscar a child of Daniel Hill

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